

House Resolution No. 3842

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives regard the birth of a child as one of life's most joyful, rewarding, and miraculous events; and

Whereas, it is with both pride and pleasure that this legislative body pauses to acknowledge the arrival of a very special addition to the citizenry of this great state; and

Whereas, Drew Douglas McDonald entered this world on January 23, 2005, and received a delightful welcome from the smiling faces of his parents, Matthew D. and Amy L. McDonald of Grain Valley, Missouri; and

Whereas, tipping the scales at 9 pounds, 8 ounces, and measuring 20 1/2 inches long, little Drew was pronounced the very picture of infant health and beauty; and

Whereas, news of Drew's birth soon warmed the hearts of other family members, including his maternal grandparents, Gene and Andrea Johnson of Blue Springs; his paternal grandparents, Mike McDonald of Independence and Donna Sue McDonald of Grain Valley; and his paternal great-grandparents, Shirley and Maurine Dodson of Blue Springs and Norma McDonald of Independence; and

Whereas, Drew McDonald will never lack love, support, or encouragement because of these wonderfully devoted relatives who will forever play an important part in the growth and development of this spectacular child in the years to come; and

Whereas, although he is only five months old, Drew McDonald can rest assured that he has been blessed with the best family in the whole wide world:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join in extending a very cordial Show-Me State welcome to Drew McDonald and in offering our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to his parents, Matthew D. and May L. McDonald, upon the precious birth of their beautiful baby boy; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the parents of adorable, little Drew Douglas McDonald, as a memento of his early days of Missouri citizenship.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt
District No. 55

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 3842, adopted June 23, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker